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| CONCERNING A SUBMISSION UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 | | | | | | |
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| | . APPLICATION NO. DK2004/000654 | INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE 28 Sept. 2004 | PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED 30 Sept. 2003 | | | |
| TITLE OF INVEN | VALVE ARRANGE | MENT | | | | |
| APPLICANT(S) F | OR DO/EO/US Richard Tr | nomas Entwistle, et al. | | | | |
| Applicant herew | ith submits to the United St | ates Designated/Elected Office (DO/EC | O/US) the following items and other information: | | | |
| 1. This is | FIRST submission of items co | oncerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 37 | 1. | | | |
| 2. This is a | SECOND or SUBSEQUENT | submission of items concerning a submission | on under 35 U.S.C. 371, | | | |
| | 3. This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below. | | | | | |
| 4. The US | The US has been elected (Article 31). | | | | | |
| 5. 🗹 A cop | y of the International Applicatio | n as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)) | | | | |
| a. [| a. is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). | | | | | |
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| _ c. [| is not required, as the appli | ication was filed in the United States Receiv | ring Office (RO/US). | | | |
| 6. An En | glish language translation of th | ne International Application as filed (35 U.S. | C. 371(c)(2)). | | | |
| а. С | is attached hereto. | | | | | |
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| 7 ✓ Amen | dments to the claims of the Inte | ernational Application under PCT Article 19 | (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)) | | | |
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| 8. An Ei | An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)). | | | | | |
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| Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or Information included: | | | | | | |
| 11. 🗹 An Inf | ormation Disclosure Statement | under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. | | | | |
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| 13. 🗹 A prel | A preliminary amendment. | | | | | |
| · · | An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76. | | | | | |
| 15. 🗹 A sub | A substitute specification. | | | | | |
| 16. 🗹 A pow | A power of attorney and/or change of address letter. | | | | | |
| 17. A com | A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821- 1.825. | | | | | |
| 18. 🗹 A sec | A second copy of the published International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). | | | | | |
| 19. A seco | A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). | | | | | |

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| 20. Other items or information: | | | | | | | |
| 1 sheet formal drawing | | | | | | | |
| The foll | owing fees have b | een submitted | | | CALCULATIONS | PTO USE ONLY | |
| 21. 🔽 Basic national fee (37 CFR 1.492(a)) | | | | \$ 300.00 | | | |
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| Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Fees above are reduced by ½. | | | | | 2 (222 22 | | |
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